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MIDAS # 4050
MOXIE POND
 THE FORKS, EAST MOXIE, BALD KTN. TOWNS
 SOMERSET CO., ME.
 AREA 2370 ACRES

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MOXIE POND

The Forks, East Moxie, and Bald Mountain Twps.
Somerset County
U.S.G.S. Moxie Pond, Maine (7½')

Fishes

Landlocked salmon	Common shiner
Brook trout	Redbelly dace
Rainbow smelt	Creek chub
White perch	White sucker
Minnnows	Brook stickleback
Lake chub	Pumpkinseed sunfish
Golden shiner	

Physical Characteristics

Area - 2370 acres

Maximum depth - 51 feet

Temperatures:

Surface - 75°F

45 feet - 50°F

Principal fisheries: Landlocked salmon, brook trout, white perch

Moxie Pond is located east of Mosquito Mountain. Many small inlets enter from the east and west sides of the pond. Its outlet, Moxie Stream, exits the north end through a dam and flows west to the Kennebec River. The pond's shoreline is lightly developed.

Water quality in Moxie Pond is good for coldwater gamefish. Salmonid growth remains good, despite competition from the large numbers of white perch, which were illegally introduced around 1985. The pond's numerous inlets provide spawning and nursery areas for brook trout. This population is supplemented with annual stockings to provide a fishery. Salmon are stocked periodically to provide a fishery for this species.

Moxie Pond is accessible from a boat launch site near the outlet. It can be reach via a road leaving Route 201 in The Forks Plt. The pond is open to fishing in the summer with no live fish as bait and closed in the winter months.

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